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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Yuji KANEKO et al.	Art Unit: 1742
Serial No.: 10/644,782	
Filing or 371(c) Date: August 21, 2003	Examiner: J. Sheehan
Title: RARE-EARTH MAGNET AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE MAGNET	

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 29, 2005, or until March 29, 2006.

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Respectfully submitted,

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